## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. :

10/808,359

Applicants

Juan M. Perez, et al.

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Title

CONTROLLING ACCESS TO PORTS OF AN ELECTRONIC DEVICE

Art Unit

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Examiner

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Atty Docket No.

200312747-1

Mail Stop Assignment Recordation Services Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-RECORDATION OF DOCUMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice Of Non-Recordation of Document dated September 18, 2004, the period for response to which is set to expire on October 18, 2004. Enclosed herewith as Attachment A is a copy of the Notice and the processed assignment and assignment recordation sheet, which are referenced in, and attached to, the Notice.

The Notice indicates that the Assignment filed with the Application on March 25, 2004, was not recorded due to non-payment of the recordation fee.

This is incorrect.

Submitted herewith as Attachment B is a copy of the relevant portions of the March 25, 2004, filing, including the date-stamped postcard and Application transmittal letter. Please note that in the transmittal letter the Applicants specifically authorized the PTO to charge Deposit Account 08-2025 for the recordation fee (*see*, Other Document and Other Fees line entry of that form), and further provided authorization to charge any requisite fees not specifically identified by Applicants to that same Deposit Account (*see*, authorizing paragraph located at bottom of transmittal letter.)

Based on the above, Applicants respectfully request that the originally-filed assignment be recorded and the deposit account be charged as authorized. Because this paper is being filed prior to the expiration of the 30 day due date, please maintain the

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original date of filing of the assignment document.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to **08-2025**.

Respectfully submitted,

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